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CHILD AND FAMILY SERVICES AGENCY

January 2006

**“Over the last three years, CFSA has become a data driven organization, thanks to FACES. There is virtually no area of CFSA that doesn’t use FACES as an integral part of its operations – from budget planning and on-line policies, to the hotline, case notes and management reports. I’m so proud of FACES.”**

**Brenda Donald Walker**

Deputy Mayor for Children, Youth, Families and Elders



# Benefits of Moving FACES to the Web?

- Same access - Workers from CFSA and Private Agencies will have the same access to FACES.NET;
- Increased Accessibility - All users will have access from anywhere there is Internet Service Provider access, i.e. Court, MPD, home etc;
- Moving workers closer to the community
- FACES.NET will be on the technology cusp of integrating with the District's Human Services Modernization Program (HSMP).



# Key Objectives

- Improve worker productivity;
- Improve child safety and service delivery to families;
- Preserve existing assets: reports, database, most underlying business rules (some functional enhancements);
- Enhance some screens to align the Agency's business process;
- Preserve existing status of one of the first ten states to receive Federal certification for a Statewide Automated Child Welfare Information System (SACWIS).

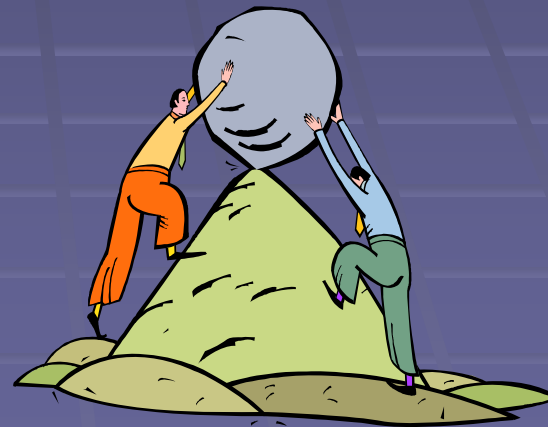
# Pros and Cons of FACES.NET

## Pros

- User Friendly
- Easily Accessible
- Provides Expansion
- Software Free
- Saves Time
- Maintains Current Data & Functionality

## Cons

- Speed Deficiencies
- Page Loading Delays



# Types of Changes reflected in FACES.NET



# Types of Enhancements

- **Major Changes**

- To be streamlined with Agency's business process; i.e. Intake Decision Tool
- Requested by users and managers; i.e. View Notes feature;
- Navigational changes;

- **Minimal Changes**

- To be in compliance with SACWIS requirements.
- Collapsing of tabs or renaming fields;
- Little to no changes except look and feel.

# FACES.NET Enhancements

## Major

- Graphical User Interface (GUI)
- Common Framework
- **Child Protection Services**
- Providers
- Contracts

## Minor

- Case Management (Court, Case Plan, Contacts, Client)
- Quality Improvement (Admin Review, FTM)
- Eligibility (Revenue Maximization)
- Finance
- Interfaces (Court, DC Kids, R\*Stars)



# Graphical User Interface (GUI)

- Attractive screens;
- The ability to quickly switch between related screens;
- Vertical and horizontal scrolling will be enhanced;
- Integration with the District's HSMP;
- Compliance with the Americans with Disabilities Act.



# Common Framework

- Approvals - Ability to Approve, Deny and Send Back Requests;
- Alerts and Calendar;
  - Transfer Alerts with Assignments;
- Personnel/Organizational Structure;
- Global Person Search - Search of all persons (clients, providers, staff, etc) in the system.

# Security



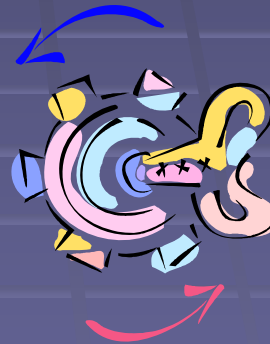
# FACES.NET Security

- SSL/VeriSign (same as your bank or Amazon.com function);
- Maintain role-based security;
- Some rules to live by:
  - Be aware of shoulder surfers;
  - Protect your password;
  - Do not save client and case data on disk;
  - ALWAYS remember to log out;
- Compliance with HIPAA & DC Government IT security;
- New Log In Process.



# Why is Security Important?

- It protects client and worker confidentiality;
- Prevents unauthorized access to client and case data;
- Tracks who has made changes to data.



# Parameters for Passwords

- Call Helpdesk if you forget your password;
- Passwords should be:
  - Easy to remember;
  - Difficult for others to guess;
  - Changed when appropriate;
  - Password should be 7-10 characters long and should be alphanumeric.



# Logging On...





Welcome, Guest

**DC Intranet** 

Log In

Search:

## Portal Login

Welcome to your Portal.

Log in to your personalized Portal account.

If you have an existing account, enter your Username and Password. If necessary, select the appropriate Authentication Source. If you want to log in to the Portal automatically, check **Remember my Password**, and then click **Log In**.

**Username:**

**Password:**

Authentication  
Source:

DC.GOV Authentication Sou... ▼

☐ Remember my Password

Log In

## Welcome to HSMP



The Human Services Modernization Program (HSMP) was established to improve the management and delivery of human services to District residents. Through a number of related HSMP projects, we are building an enterprise-wide technical infrastructure to enable the sharing of client data across District health and social services agencies. We are also working with individual Agencies to upgrade or replace their supporting human services information systems to assure "state-of-the-art" levels of case management support and reporting capabilities.

## New Features

**SPIS - Safe Passages Information System**

- Release 1.0 is available for certified caseworkers at CFSA, DYRS, and DMH.
- Caseworker training is underway.

### Preliminary Interview for Benefits

Interview for Benefits (Version 2.8) is online. New functionality includes:

- English/Spanish forms (DC Healthy Families, Healthcare Alliance, Combined, Medical Exam Form)
- Enhanced validation of applicant input
- Verification dialogs for Medicare, Disability status, Child Support with an Absent Parent
- Clarification of Supplemental Security Income, Social Security Retirement Income, and Social Security Disability Insurance

## HSMP and Helpful Links



**211 Answers,  
Please!**

Use the fast and easy search to find local and national social service programs.



### Preliminary Interview for Benefits

Determine your potential eligibility through the Social Services Center's online tool.



## DC Guide

Get driving directions, make a map or locate businesses and city services.



## DC News

Read the mayor's press releases, advisories, speeches, and more.



# Technical Specification

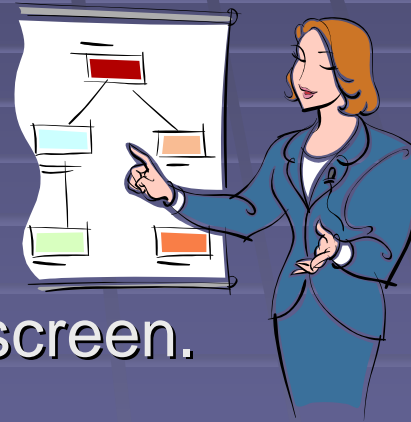
- Machine Configuration (Minimum) Intel Pentium® 4 CPU 1.8 GHz or above, 512 MB RAM PC/Laptops
- Screen Resolution Display 1024 x 768 Pixels
- Keyboard, Mouse
- High Speed Internet connection (e.g. Cable Modem, DSL etc)

# Software Requirements

- Microsoft Windows 2000/XP
- Microsoft Word 2003 or Word Viewer
- Acrobat Reader version 7.0
- Microsoft Explorer Version 6 Service Pack 1
- Antivirus software
- Microsoft Fax Viewer
- No Popup Blocker

# The New Look of FACES.NET

- Welcome screen;
- Client screen;
- CPS Assessment Findings screen.





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Referral **Case** Client Provider Admin

Case  Go

Case Case Summary Client Merge Collateral Contacts Visits Case Plan Service More

Organizer Focus History

## WorkLoad

- + My Assignments
- + My Units
- + My Workers
- + Other Program Areas

## My Calendar

January 2006						
S	M	T	W	T	F	S
25	26	27	28	29	30	31
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
8	9	10	11	12	13	14
15	16	17	18	19	20	21
22	23	24	25	26	27	28
29	30	31	1	2	3	4

## + My Tasks



# Client Screen

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Utilities

My WorkLoad
My Inbox
My Unit Workers
Other Units
My Calendar

My Tasks

Client Information

\*Denotes required Fields
+Denotes AFCARS Fields

☐ Duplicate Client

Client
Residence
Other

Client Details

Prefix
First\*\*
Middle
Last\*\*
Suffix
Maiden Name

Gender\*
Date Of Birth+
SSN
Medicaid#
In Household#

☐ Deceased
Date Of Death
Death Certificate#
Number of persons in household

Dates of Involvement in Case

Start Date\*
End Date
Reason For End Date

☐ Non-participating Member

☐ Head of the Household
Participating as a Child\*
Reason Description

Citizenship/Religion

Citizenship/Alienage\*
Alien Registration Number
Nationality
Religion

Role In Intake / Language

Role In Intake\*
Languages


☐ Need Interpreter

Save
Cancel
RAFI

# CPS – Assessment Findings Screen

FACES Version: 999.0.47.3 - Microsoft Internet Explorer

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**Referral** | 
 Case | Client | Provider | Admin

Case  Go

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Referral
Investigation
Referral Narratives
Contacts
Allegation
Collateral
Extension
Notes
Assessment Findings
More

Organizer   **Focus**   History

In Focus

User Name:  
**DONNA LYNN JESSEN**

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Entity Type:  
**Referral**

Entity Name:  
**CAESAR**

Entity ID:  
**619137**

### Assessment Findings

\* Denotes Required Fields   \*\* Denotes Half-Mandatory Fields   †Denotes AFCARS Fields

Name	Maltreatment Category	Maltreatment Type	Injury Characteristics	Perpetrator	Findings
CALIGULA CAESAR	Abuse	Hitting	Bruises/Welts	JULIUS CAESAR	Substantiated <span style="float: right;">▼</span>
CALIGULA CAESAR	Abuse	Choking		JULIUS CAESAR	Unfounded <span style="float: right;">▼</span>
NERO CAESAR	Neglect	Unwilling or Unab		JULIA CAESAR	Substantiated <span style="float: right;">▼</span>

Results
Findings

Investigative Results for JULIUS CAESAR  
(Include the Reason for assessment finding(s) of each allegation. This information will print on the notice of Investigation Results)

TESTtestteTESTtestteTESTtestteTESTtestteTESTtestteTESTtestteTESTtestteTESTtestteTEST

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Investigative Results for JULIA CAESAR  
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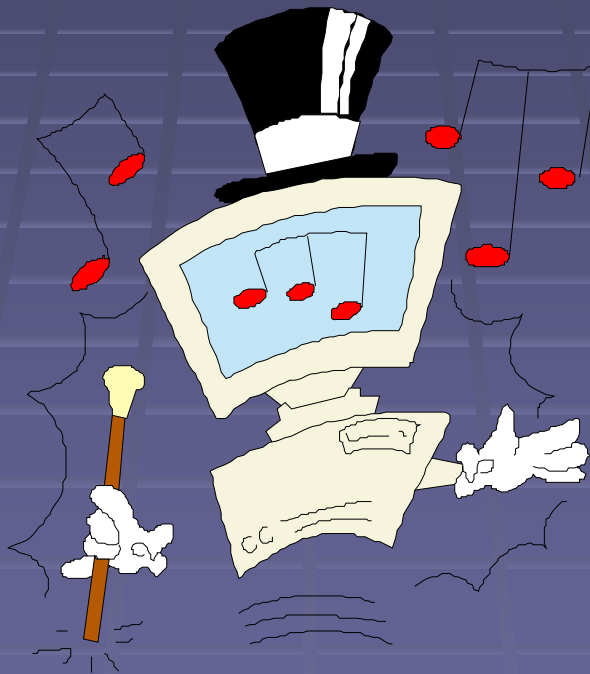
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Cancel

# Features





# What is a Field?



## Information

Case Name

Family Case Type

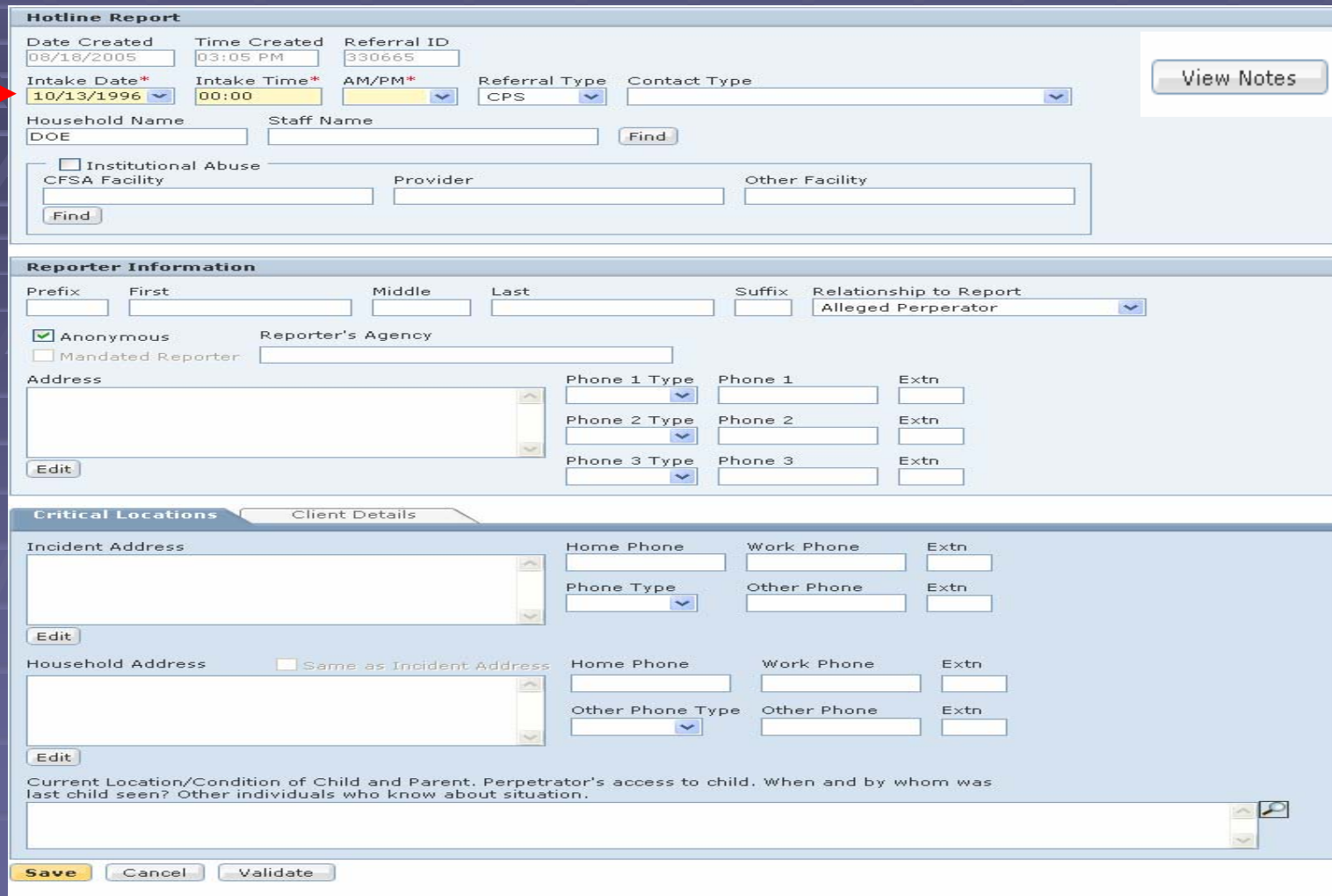
Case Number

Family Worker





# Mandatory Fields



The screenshot shows a 'Hotline Report' form with several sections. A red arrow points to the 'Intake Date\*' field, which is highlighted in yellow. Other mandatory fields, also highlighted in yellow, include 'Intake Time\*', 'AM/PM\*', 'Referral Type', and 'Contact Type'. The form includes sections for 'Household Name', 'Staff Name', 'Institutional Abuse', 'Reporter Information', and 'Critical Locations'. At the bottom, there are 'Save', 'Cancel', and 'Validate' buttons.

**Hotline Report**

Date Created: 08/18/2005 Time Created: 03:05 PM Referral ID: 330665

**Intake Date\***: 10/13/1996 **Intake Time\***: 00:00 **AM/PM\***: **Referral Type**: CPS **Contact Type**: **View Notes**

Household Name: DOE Staff Name: **Find**

☐ Institutional Abuse  
CFSA Facility: Provider: Other Facility: **Find**

**Reporter Information**

Prefix: First: Middle: Last: Suffix: Relationship to Report: Alleged Perpetrator

☒ Anonymous ☐ Mandated Reporter Reporter's Agency:

Address: Phone 1 Type: Phone 1: Extn: Phone 2 Type: Phone 2: Extn: Phone 3 Type: Phone 3: Extn: **Edit**

**Critical Locations** Client Details

Incident Address: Home Phone: Work Phone: Extn: Phone Type: Other Phone: Extn: **Edit**

Household Address: ☐ Same as Incident Address Home Phone: Work Phone: Extn: Other Phone Type: Other Phone: Extn: **Edit**

Current Location/Condition of Child and Parent. Perpetrator's access to child. When and by whom was last child seen? Other individuals who know about situation.

**Save** **Cancel** **Validate**

- These fields are denoted by an asterisk (\*) and are **yellow** in color

## Referral Notes

Character Limit:

2000

Number of characters entered:


**Save**

Cancel

View Notes

# Picklist

Citizenship/Alienage\*

US Citizen 

Eligible Alien

Illegal Alien

US Citizen


\*\*Alien legalized/210

\*\*Alien legalized/210A

\*\*Alien legalized/245A

\*\*Alien legalized/902

\*\*Ineligible Alien



# Address Box

Address

123 10th Street NE  
House  
Washington, District of Columbia 20017

Edit

Enter Address

Address

Address Det

Street#

Unit Type

City

Comments

OK Find Cancel

# Text Box

Current Location/Condition of Child and Parent. Perpetrator's access to child. Any other individual aware of the situation. When, where and who saw the child last?

**Zoom Box**

Character Limit:  Number of characters entered:

**OK**



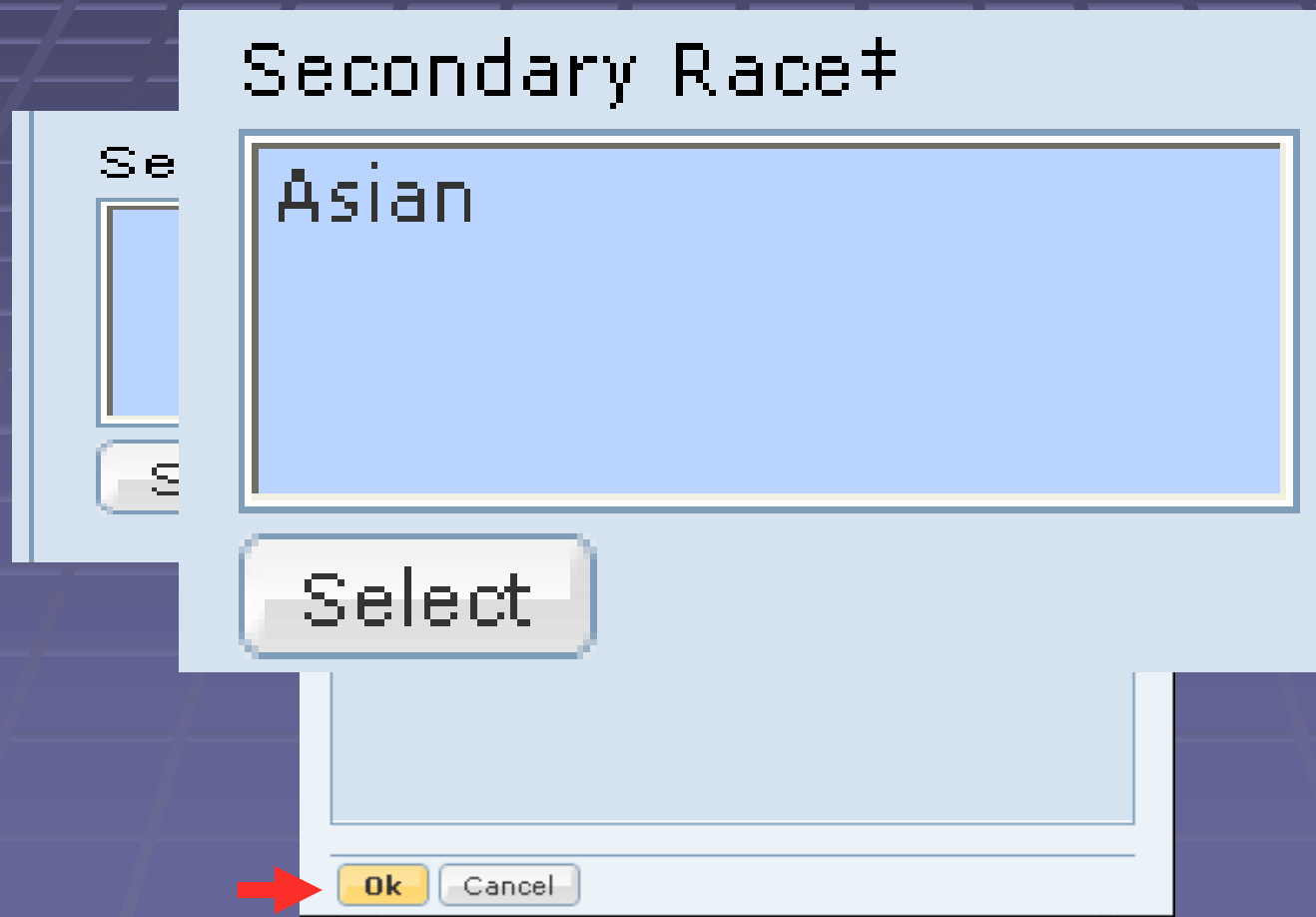
# Tabs

<b>Hotline Report</b>					
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Intake Date*	Intake Time*	AM/PM*	Referral Type	Contact Type	
10/13/1996	00:00		CPS		
Household Name		Staff Name			
DOE				Find	
<input type="checkbox"/> Institutional Abuse					
CFSA Facility		Provider		Other Facility	
				Find	

<b>Reporter Information</b>					
Prefix	First	Middle	Last	Suffix	Relationship to Report
					Alleged Perpetrator
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Anonymous					
<input type="checkbox"/> Mandated Reporter					
Reporter's Agency					
Address					
Edit					
Phone 1 Type		Phone 1		Extn	
Phone 2 Type		Phone 2		Extn	
Phone 3 Type		Phone 3		Extn	

<b>Critical Locations</b>			<b>Client Details</b>		
Incident Address			Home Phone		
Edit			Work Phone		
			Extn		
			Phone Type		
			Other Phone		
			Extn		
Household Address			Home Phone		
			Work Phone		
			Extn		
			Other Phone Type		
			Other Phone		
			Extn		
Edit					
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Save Cancel Validate					

# Select Box



# Quick Link

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Referral

Organizer

WorkLog

My Work

My Calendar

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My Tasks

FACES.NET

Case

Go

Case

Referral

Client

Provider

Staff

WorkShopID

ContractID

Middle

Last \*\*

Suffix

School District

Cancel



# Date Box

<	January			>	2006		>
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Workshop Dates

Start Date

1/3/2006



End Date

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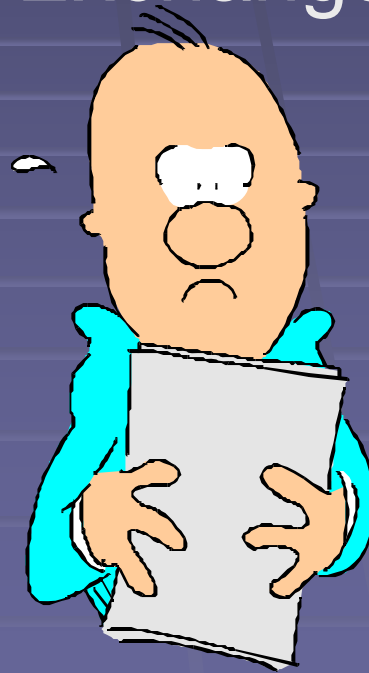
# Existing Interfaces

- **ACEDS** (Automated Client Eligibility Determination System)
- **SOAR** (System of Accounting and Reporting)
- **Family Court**
- **Children's National Medical Center (DC Kids)**



# Existing Reports

- On-line
- DDE – Dynamic Data Exchange
- Template
- Management

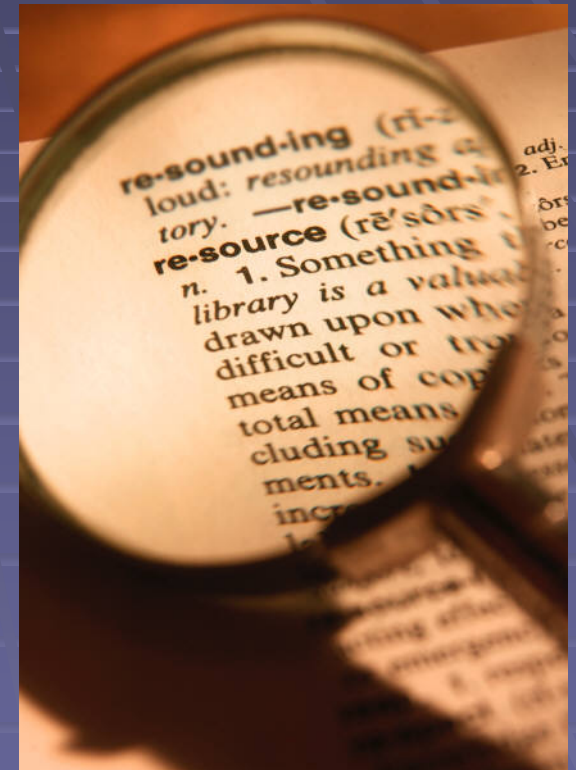
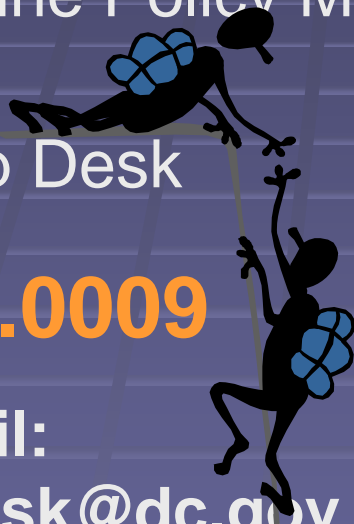


# Resources

- FACES.NET On-line User Manual
- CFSA On-line Policy Manual
- CFSA Help Desk

**202.434.0009**

Email:  
**[cfsa.helpdesk@dc.gov](mailto:cfsa.helpdesk@dc.gov)**



# Reporting Issues to the Help Desk



- The name of the screen;
- Exactly what happened;
- The exact wording of any error messages;
- A screen shot of the problem, if possible.



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**WILL BE ROLLING IN  
SOON!**

# Question & Answer

